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Construction Notice

Concrete Pavement Reconstruction Project

Eaton/Merrill from Illinois Ave to Donald Avenue

May 6, 2015

Beginning **Monday May 11, 2015**, the City of Cudahy will begin a project that will consist of concrete pavement removal and replacement in your neighborhood. The City hired Cornerstone Pavers to perform the construction work. This letter serves to address many of the questions the public has regarding projects such as these. If you have further questions or issues during the construction project – please feel free to give the Engineering Department a call at (414)769-2212, or email us at langemj@ci.cudahy.wi.us.

What work is being done? The work will involve concrete replacement of the roadway and curb, on Eaton Lane from Illinois Avenue to Merrill Avenue and on Merrill Avenue from Eaton Lane to Donald Avenue. It will also include the reconstruction of the intersection of Illinois & Eaton Lane. First, the contractor will start breaking and removing the old concrete. Next, they will excavate and place stone and then pour the new curb followed by the replacement of the roadway. Driveway aprons will also be replaced as part of the project. Sidewalks should remain in place however; there may be short sections that will need to be replaced. During the work described, the road will be closed to all traffic. Newly poured concrete pavement needs weeks to cure therefore vehicular traffic cannot be allowed on it until the barricades are pulled by the contractor.

Will I be able to get to my home? If you are living on Eaton Ln or on Merrill Ave. between Illinois & Donald Ave. you will be required to park on Illinois, Donald or on Eaton Ln (west of Illinois) during the construction. The intersection of Illinois & Eaton Ln will also be closed to traffic because the intersection is getting reconstructed. Residents will have to access Illinois or Eaton from the north.

What if I am handicapped and need direct access? Please notify City staff if you have a special need for access. We will work to accommodate your needs.

Can I park on the street in and around the posted construction area? Included with this letter are 3 parking passes that allow you to park on adjacent streets during the day & overnight until the contractor removes the barricades from your street and/or your driveway. Please put the pass on the left lower corner of the windshield (driver's side) When parking on adjacent streets – you will be required to follow all parking regulations assigned to that street. This permit does not allow you to park in a "No Parking" zone. Parking of camper trailers, boats or other recreational vehicles on city streets is not recommended. It is best to notify a friend or relative to see if they could store your recreational vehicles during the construction period. The Police Department is aware of the temporary parking permits, so there is no need to call them for permission.

How long will the construction last? Per the contractor's schedule, they plan to start mobilizing equipment starting Monday, May 11th. Breaking of pavement could start as soon as Tuesday, May 12th. So please have everything out of your driveway and off the street by Tuesday, May 12th at 7:00 a.m. The contractor expects to finish the paving work and have the road open to traffic by June 26th (**weather permitting**). Clean-up and restoration work may take a few weeks longer.

What should I do with my garbage & recycling? Beginning Monday, May 18th put your garbage cart & recycling cart out as usual, but put them on the driveway next to the sidewalk. Do not put them on the sidewalk or between the curb and sidewalk.

What about spring clean-up. City crews will be by to pick up spring clean-up items on Monday, May 11th. As a reminder – please put all yard waste items in paper bags, re-usable containers or cardboard boxes. No plastic bags. Do not rake leaves or yard waste into the curb. No electronic items & keep junk separate from your yard waste. Branches should be cut up in about 4' lengths and stacked neatly. Place items at the curb.

Will my mail service be interrupted? During the construction mail delivery should not be interrupted.

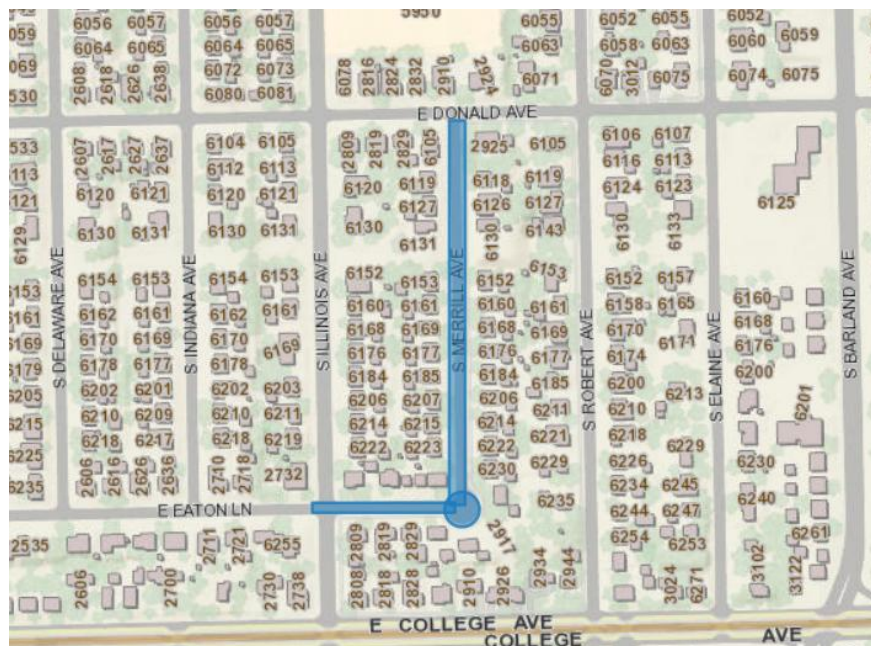
Will I be special assessed for the work? Normally you would, but the roadway work is being done as part of the storm and sanitary improvements that were complete the last 2 years in your area.

How will emergency equipment get through?

The City's Police & Fire Departments have been notified of the work and the closure and will plan accordingly.

Your cooperation and understanding will greatly assist us in completing this work in the shortest time possible. We apologize for any inconveniences that this work may cause you. Please remember that construction equipment is extremely dangerous and children must be kept away from the construction area at all times.

Please feel free to contact the Engineering Department at 769-2212 or langemj@ci.cudahy.wi.us if you have any questions about the project.



Blue indicates the area under reconstruction that will be closed to all traffic.